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## ... Business Women ...

Statistics show that the number of women depositors in banks is rapidly increasing

The time has come for women to take the place of men in all lines of business.

No time like the Christmas season to plan on that fundamental A BANK ACCOUNT. A necessity to good business.

## The WaKeeney State Bank

## Christmas Gifts Within the Reach of Everyone

You may wish to spend a little or a great deal. Just because you have many friends to remember this Xmas doesn't mean that you will find it difficult. Not at all—if you will let us help you.

The main thought in mind in buying our Christmas stock this year was to select the largest possible number of gifts to sell at moderate prices.

## XMAS GIFTS

25 Cents to \$1.00

BOOKS STATIONERY CANDY  
PERFUMES BRUSHES COMBS, ETC

## W. W. GIBSON

The REXALL Store WA-KEENEY, KAN.

CORONA, the six-pound personal writing machine, guaranteed to stand more hard usage than any big machine is used in this office. Learn about CORONA before you spend twice as much for a machine that can not serve you nearly so well as CORONA. Salina Typewriter Company, Salina, Kans. Adv. 28tf.

DR. M. J. BROWN OF SALINA

Should you or your child need medical or surgical treatment of the eye, ear, nose and throat, or require glasses, or official work, make a date with Dr. M. J. Brown, (Campbell building) Salina, Kansas, or see him at the Penny Hotel, Tuesday, January 8th.

## THE BANNER PICNIC

To the Public of Collyer and Vicinity:  
At the request of some good friends I am today giving a statement of all the accounts which I paid last summer out of the receipts at the Banner Picnic, and also the names of the persons to whom I paid it. It had been advertised through the papers and bills, which are now on file at the Collyer Advance Office, that everything above expenses would go to the Red Cross. This announcement was sufficient notice to anybody that everything was not to be donated, but that there would be some expenses. Here is my statement.

Disbursements	
Speaker Keene, R. R. fare and other expenses	25.00
Ray Purinton, for work and auto livery	10.00
Ed. Ward, for work and serving as ground marshal	5.00
Jerry Dalby, for preparing the diamond	2.00
H. A. Lacerte, for trip to Banner to arrange for grounds	2.00
Homer Peck, for services of the Quinter band	15.00
Will Polkowsky, for practice room rent of the Collyer band	2.00
Little & Greene, livery bill for trip to help Collyed band	1.50
Root & Sons, Chicago, Ill., for some band music	1.50
H. A. Lacerte, for taking band chairs and stuff to Banner	2.00
H. S. Givler, for advertisement in the Wa-Keeney World	1.50
M. Garrison, for advertisement in the Trego County Reporter	1.50
A. K. Trimmer, for advertisement in Gove County Republican-Gazette	2.00
Leslie McElhinney, 2 advertisements in the Gove County Advocate	3.00
Miss S. A. Piersee, 2 1-2 page front ads, in Collyer Advance	10.00
Miss S. A. Piersee, for 400 tickets to ball games	2.00
Miss S. A. Piersee, 500 large bills	3.00
Committee Correspondent for about 40 letters, postage and stationery	2.00
Wa-Keeney Ball Team, (Paid by H. A. Lacerte), Ball games, manager	30.00
Utica Ball Team, (paid by Ball game manager)	30.00
Quinter Ball Team, (paid by ball game manager)	30.00
H. E. Allison, manager of The Collyer Hardware, for six balls	7.50
Collyer Lumber Co., for lumber spoiled	4.90
Wm. Behrns, 3 trips to and from Collyer hauling lumber	8.60
Wm. Behrns, trip from Banner to Wa-Keeney to arrange for advertising	3.50
Wm. Behrns, trip from Banner	

## Gift Choosing Can Best Be Done Now and Here

This store is ready with its supreme showing of Holiday Suggestions. Whether you have compiled your gift lists, or are as yet in doubt about what to get for mother, wife, sister, sweetheart and other friends, we are sure you will find it to your interest to come here now.

## The Store of the Practical Gift

Where the things that everyone needs and must have are to be found. And, after all, isn't the gift of something practical and suitable for every day usage that is most appreciated? There are many reasons—all very obvious—why it is advisable for you to come here now before the big rush, that is sure to be on later.

## The Following Are Only a Few Articles That Can Be Found Here

Silk Kimonos  
Bath Robes  
Silk Hose  
Gloves  
Hand Bags  
Brassieres  
Camisoles  
Crepe de Chine Under-Waists (wear  
Caps and Scarf Sets

Handkerchiefs  
Boudoir Caps  
Furs  
Beads  
Silk Petticoats  
Earrings  
Beauty Pins  
Nobby Neckwear  
Auto Veils  
Driving Gloves

Caron's LADIES OUTFITTERS  
WAKEENEY, KANSAS.

to Wa-Keeney to arrange with ball team	3.50
Wm Behrns, trip to bill Utica Ransom and Arnold	5.00
from Collyer hauling lumber	8.60
Ray Purinton, for lumber, work and livery	10.00
Total paid out	\$214.00
Receipts	
The gate receipts at the ball games amounted to	\$127.00
The free will offering brought in	102.00
Deducting from this total the Total receipts \$229.00	
Amount we paid out	\$214.00
Balance of	15.00

This amount of \$15.00 was deposited by Mr. Behrns in The Collyer State Bank to the credit of the Red Cross. I beg to avail myself of this opportunity to thank the three ball teams for the fine assistance which they gave us. It had been agreed that 10 per cent of the gate receipts would be handed over to the Picnic Committee, and the rest divided equally among the three teams but when Henry Lacerte was told of the meagre result of the Free Will Offering, (only \$102 for a crowd of about 900 men and young men,) he had the players to settle for \$30 each team so as to help us out to the amount of \$15.00 besides the percentage \$12.70. Trusting this accounting and observations will prove satisfactory to all those whose esteem is worth having, I remain

Respectfully yours,  
G. A. Lacerte, M. D.

## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

At a meeting of the committees of the Churches and Sabbath Schools held yesterday at Ogallah the program outlined for Christmas Eve is to be a white Christmas offering upon an altar of sacrifice where it is hoped that one and all who attend will place some offering for the relief of the distress caused by the world war. Each one will be expected to become a personal giver and also will place his or her gift upon the altar. Clothing, shoes and other articles such as can be properly used and handled by the committee will be turned over to the Salvation Army. All packages should be folded up snugly and neatly in white paper if possible. A good program is being prepared. Come one and all and be one of us and with us. Committee.



Are the things that you first thing of when thinking of what to give. Because nothing makes as nice a present as a gold watch or a nice piece of jewelry for a Xmas gift, and no other present of equal price is as serviceable and as pleasing for the same number of years. It is the thing to buy.

## Xmas Suggestions

There is nothing a woman will take more pride in than in a nice piece of jewelry or a nice piece of silverware—a diamond or gold set ring, a diamond or gold brooch, gold beads, pearl beads, a wrist watch, a bracelet, a pair of earrings, a locket, a lavalliere, or a nice toilet set, a chafing dish, cut glass and silverware are the things that every woman will appreciate. Buy it for her.

And for Men a

Howard, Hamilton, Illinois

or an Elgin or a Waltham Watch, a Military Wrist Watch with an illuminous dial, a Military set, a Traveling set, a Safety Razor, a Sterling Silver Match Box, a Belt Buckle, a solid gold Signet Ring, a Set Ring, a Lodge Ring, Pin or Button, Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pin, Tie Clasp, Waldemar, Vest or Coat Chain, a Fob or a Fountain Pen make ideal presents for the man in service and the man at home. Come in and look my stock over and I shall be glad to help you select suitable things, at prices that you be willing to pay. A small deposit and any article will be laid aside for you.

Stock of dependable goods only and guarantee everything I sell.

No extra charge made for Engraving.

A. S. TREGER, Wa-Keeney, Kansas

If you want your photo for Xmas you will have to sit now. R. T. Bean. Adv. 39 4t.

Money to loan. See E. D. Wheeler.

Join the Red Cross and "do your best."

You had better buy a pair of over-shoes at the Clothing Store. Adv. 1t.

## Santa Claus Has ARRIVED

### CHILDREN

DOLLS  
DOLL BUGGIES  
DOLL FURNITURE  
TOYS  
BOOKS  
BLOCKS  
BALLS  
DRUMS, ETC.

### BOYS & MEN

FANCY SHIRTS  
TIES  
HANDKERCHIEFS  
BELTS  
PURSES  
BATH ROBES  
UMBRELLAS  
GLOVES  
CUFF LINKS

### GIRLS & LADIES

BOOKS  
FANCY NOVELTIES  
APRONS  
NECKWEAR  
GLOVES  
BATH ROBES  
KIMONAS  
HANDKERCHIEFS  
BOX STATIONARY

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS, CANDIES, NUTS, FIGS, PLUM PUDDING, JUST NEED TO BE WARMED, BOX CHOCOLATES, STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES.

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FARMERS' UNION